

May 29, 2013

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Re: Exemption Process

Dear Yolanda, LaVerne and Charles:

As discussed during the AFSCME negotiation sessions on May 15, 2013, and May 23, 2013, this letter is to confirm that the Human Resources Department (HR) will establish internal processes regarding the exemption process to notify MEF and CEO when an exemption request involving employees represented by either MEF or CEO is granted by HR for a position represented by either MEF or CEO. Such notice shall be provided to MEF or CEO at least one business day prior to providing notification to the affected employee(s).

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Alex Gurza

Deputy City Manager and Acting Human Resources Director

c: Jennifer Schembri, Deputy Director of Employee Relations Sarah Nunes, Division Manager